

Cedars & Powell River Awareness & Appreciation Days, May 5 (Sat.)

Sponsored by The Nature Conservancy, Friends of Cedars, DCR, Daniel Boone Soil & Water District

Powell River Baptist Association (29348 Wilderness Road)

To Register: <http://www.dcr.virginia.gov/natural-heritage/other/natural-heritage-registration>

9:00 – 9:30: Welcome, The Nature Conservancy

9:30: - 9:45: **Musical Introduction:** Ron Short

9:45 - 10:15: **The Remarkable, Special, Singular, Exceptional, Noteworthy, and Extraordinary Cedars of Lee County:** Doug Ogle - Professor Emeritus, Virginia Highlands Community College

10:15 – 10:30: **Amazing and Awesome Water Critters (Aquatic Diversity of Powell River):** Mike Pinder, Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries

10:30 – 10:45: BREAK

10:45 11:00: **What's in that hole? (Life Underground):** Wil Orndorff, Department of Conservation and Recreation

11:00- 11:15: **Saving the World, One NAP at a time:** Rob Evans, Department of Conservation and Recreation

11:15 – 11:25: **Friends of Cedars:** Lambert Ladies. Jonesville, VA

11:30 – 12:30: LUNCH (provided with RSVP)

Invited Presentation and Remarks **by Delegate Terry Kilgore**

12:30 – 12:45 **Restoring the Cedars:** Stephen Grayson, Department of Conservation and Recreation

1:00 –4:00: Field Tour – Highlights include ongoing habitat restoration work and karst features of the Cedars